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Sent: Friday, April 5, 2019 2:17:14 PM
To: 'the.rentons@outlook.com'
Cc: Ian Johnson
Subject: City Deal Transport Spend and Active Travel

Dear Mr Renton,

Thank you for your email dated 1 April. I note that a meeting was held with Spokes which was chaired by Councillor McVey at which Midlothian were represented by Ricky Moffat and a view was communicated in response to this following a round table discussion. We have only had the first meeting of the TAB and we too are pleased that this is now up and running.

I can confirm that Ian Johnson is currently working for me as Head of Major Projects and in this capacity is taking forward aspects of both the City Deal and Borders Rail and I have copied Ian into this email to enable you to both make contact and to arrange a meeting if you feel that this would be useful. Ian can arrange to be accompanied by those involved in progressing the development of proposals for the delivery of WETA which will then be for the Transport Appraisal Board to make recommendations to the Edinburgh and South East Scotland City Region Deal Joint Committee regarding the transport investment programme within the Deal.

I would, of course, be very happy to meet with yourself/SPOKES at any stage.

With kind regards,

Grace.

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